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BIKE LANE CLOSURE ON US-101

VENTURA COUNTY – Due to safety concerns, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has closed the bike lane on the northbound Ventura Freeway (US-101), from La Conchita off-ramp to the Santa Barbara County line. The outside shoulder of the bike lane has eroded as a result of recent storms. This closure does not affect regular use lanes.

The bike lane will remain closed until repairs are made and safe conditions can be verified. Estimated time frame for repairs is unknown.

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